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Maribor

1. The 60 Infantry Division is stationed in Maribor. The 4 Infantry Regiment, which is a component of the 60 Infantry Division, and is dependent upon the 14/30 Infantry Division of Varazdin, also has its headquarters in Maribor.1

Obrenovac

2. The 252 Tank Brigade is located at Obrenovac.²

Nis

3. The 211 Tank Brigade, composed of some 1,000 men, and equipped with 30 tanks, the majority of them T-34 tanks, is located in Nis.³ The 211 Tank Brigade comprises the following units:

- a. Three tank battalions;
- b. One assault battalion; and
- c. One antitank battalion equipped with German cannon.

4. All tanks belonging to the stated units are sent to the Kragujevac Arsenal for checking and repairs.

1. Comment: This confirms information furnished in reports of other United States Government Agencies of May and August 1951.

2. [] Comment: This Brigade is presumably identical with the unidentified tank brigade reported to be stationed in Obrenovac by []
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another government Agency relative to the 252 Tank Brigade in Obrenovac.

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3. Comment: Another United States Government Agency has also reported the 211 Tank Brigade of 1/9 Army, under the command of Lieutenant Colonel Jovica Mandic; to be in Nis.

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1. The 15 Rifle Division, under the command of Colonel Nikola Strugar, has its headquarters in an old barracks building located in Tuzla, Bosnia. The following military units are components of the 15 Rifle Division:
 - a. Two unspecified rifle regiments;
 - b. One unidentified artillery regiment;
 - c. An unspecified antitank battalion;
 - d. An unidentified engineer battalion;
 - e. An unspecified liaison battalion;
 - f. An unidentified transport company, which is equipped with more than 100 motor trucks of American make; and
 - g. A chemical warfare unit.
2. One of the above rifle regiments and the artillery regiment are billeted in new barracks, north of the city of Tuzla, while the other rifle regiment is stationed in Bijeljina, 50 kilometers northeast of Tuzla. This latter rifle regiment has a school for noncommissioned officers.
3. The rifle regiment which is stationed just north of Tuzla, and is some 100 men strong, is composed of the following military units:
 - a. Three unspecified rifle battalions;
 - b. One unidentified automatic rifle company;

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- c. One unspecified antitank rifle company;
- d. One unidentified reconnaissance company; and
- e. One medical platoon.

Each battalion is composed of three rifle companies and one machine-gun company.

- 4. The artillery regiment of the 15 Rifle Division is equipped with more than 30 cannon of Russian and German type. The majority of motor trucks used by the transport company belong to this artillery regiment.
- 5. A small unidentified antiaircraft artillery unit and a large cavalry unit, possibly a regiment, are also stationed in Tuzla.
- 6. Food is very poor in the 15 Rifle Division; the men subsist on a diet of cabbage and beans. Ordnance equipment is fairly good, but the vehicles used by the Division are in poor condition.

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1. The Ljubljana Airfield is divided into two distinct parts: one part of it is a military airfield and the other part of it serves as a civilian airfield. The two areas are separated by a large, underground, gasoline-storage depot.
2. The 4 Air Pursuit Division, under the command of Colonel Simic, and equipped with Yugoslav S-49 airplanes (with Praga engines) and a few Yak-9 airplanes, has its headquarters at the Ljubljana Airfield, near Zidanil Most. The 4 Air Pursuit Division is composed of three regiments. Each regiment has three squadrons, each of which in turn is broken down into three companies. Each company has at its disposal three or four planes. These companies are not always at full strength, either because they are insufficiently equipped with planes or because the continual damage suffered by the planes which are assigned to them requires constant repair work.
3. Only one regiment of the 4 Air Pursuit Division is stationed in Ljubljana, while the remaining components of the Division are stationed in Nis, under the command of Lieutenant Colonel Draskovic. These units in Nis are equipped with Lightning airplanes. One of the regiments now stationed in Nis will soon be transferred to the new Slivnica Airfield near Maribor, where three hangars have been recently completed.
4. Operationally, the 4 Air Pursuit Division is subordinate to the Military District in Zagreb; while administratively, it is subordinate to the Military Air Command in Belgrade.
5. The 4 Air Pursuit Division also has units stationed as follows:
 - a. An unidentified assault division, two regiments of which are stationed at the Rajlovac Airfield, is quartered in the vicinity of Sarajevo. These two regiments at Rajlovac Airfield in Sarajevo are equipped with Spitfires and Stormoviks; and

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- b. An unspecified pursuit division and a light-bomber division are stationed at the Mostar Airfield.
6. Gasoline rations allotted to flight units are very stringent. Each plane is furnished with gasoline sufficient only for short training flights in order to prevent the flyers from escaping.
7. It is very difficult to repair damages suffered by the planes owing to the lack of essential spare parts.

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